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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Robert N. Goman et al.	Examiner:	Karl Frech
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PETITION FOR A FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a five-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed January 16, 2004, said period of response being extended from March 16, 2004 to August 16, 2004.

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